

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 7, 2009

James Bennett, Treasurer Friends of Jim Clyburn P.O. Box 12567 Columbia, SC 29211

Response Due Date: May 7, 2009

Identification Number: C00255562

Reference: Year-End Report (11/25/08 - 12/31/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 2 items:

- 1. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Page information should equal the sum of the Column C figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for Line(s) 6(a), 6(c), 11(c), 11(e), 16 and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the election cycle-to-date totals. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
- 2. The beginning cash balance of this report does not equal the ending balance of your Amended 2008 30-Day Post-General Report, received 3/24/09. Please correct this discrepancy and <u>amend all subsequent reports(s) that may be affected by the correction</u>. (2 U.S.C. § 434)(b)(7))

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.